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 1 Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) 3 Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) 5 Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449), Paper No. 7 Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material 	4☐ Interview S —— 6☐ Examiner's	nformal Patent Application (PTO-152) ummary (PTO-413), Paper No Amendment/Comment Statement of Reasons for Allowance	
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Allowable Subject Matter

Claim 2 is allowed.

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: The prior art of record does not disclose or teach a wheel and a generator both mounted on a fixed axle shaft, with the wheel coupled to a sleeve extending over the axle the shaft and into the generator housing, wherein the sleeve supports a magnetic ring surrounded by an annular coil as recited in the claim. While elements of the claimed invention are in the prior art, no motivation has been found for combining those elements together to produce the claimed invention.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance." Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Judson H Jones whose telephone number is 703-308-0115. The examiner can normally be reached on 8-4:30 M-F.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Nestor Ramirez can be reached on 703-308-1371. The fax phone numbers for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned are 703-305-3431 for regular communications and 703-305-3432 for After Final communications.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is 703-308-0956.

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